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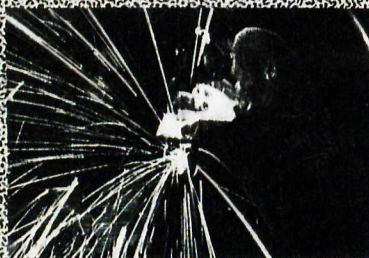
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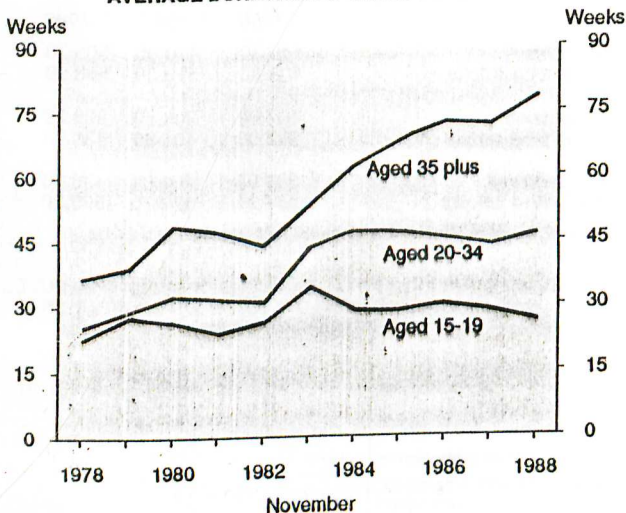
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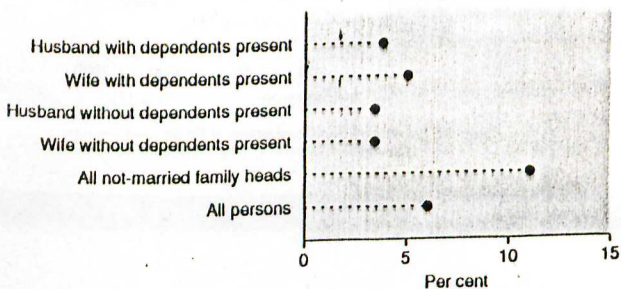
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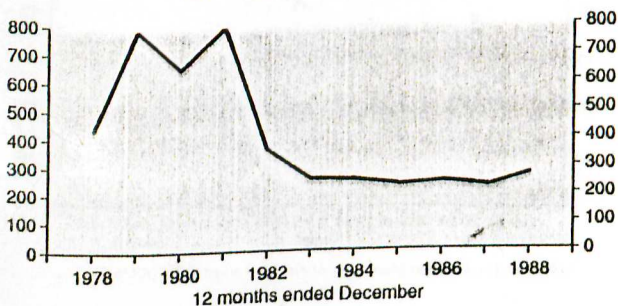
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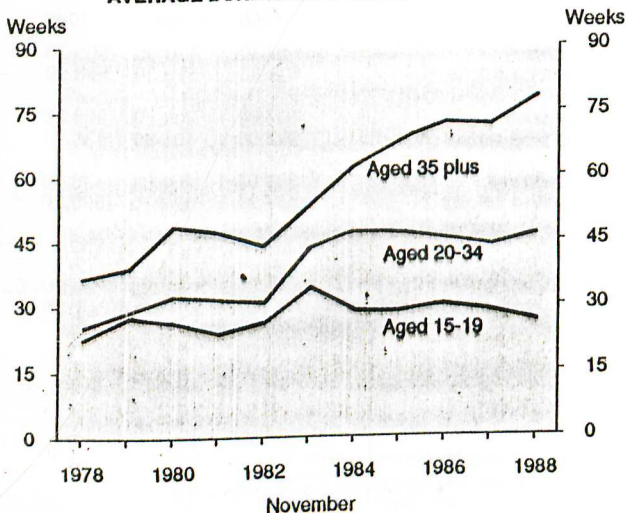


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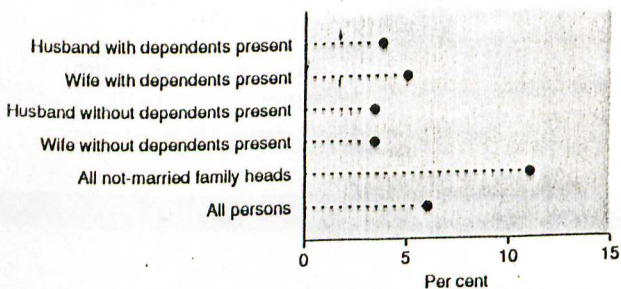
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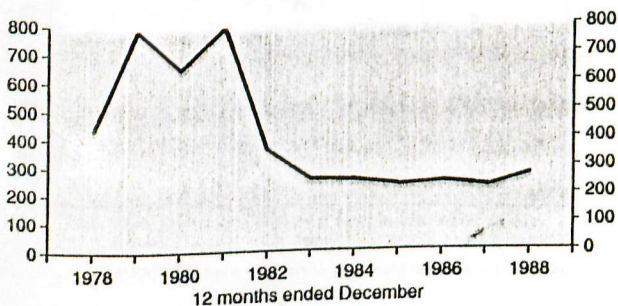
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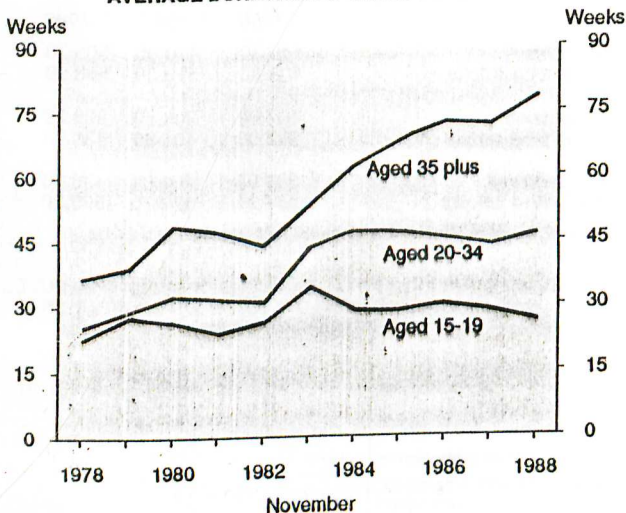
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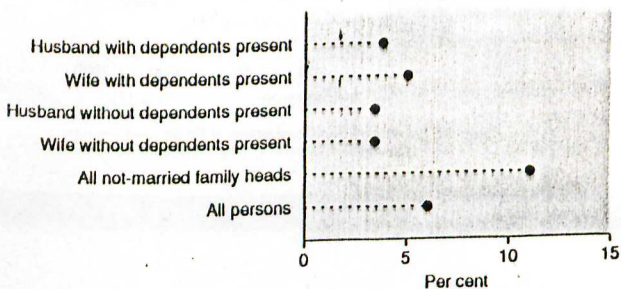
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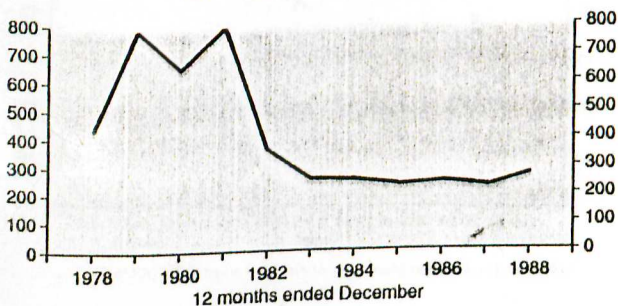
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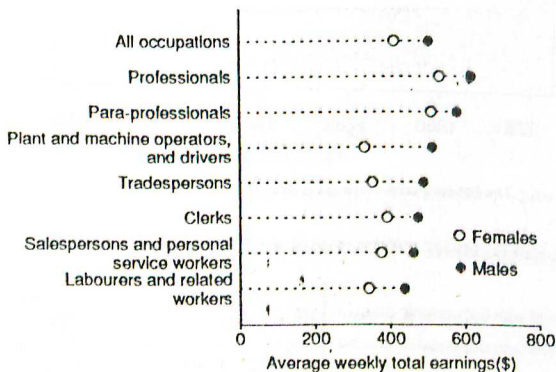
# EARNINGS

## AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS (\$)

	1986	November 1987r	1988
All males	446.30	470.00	505.20
Full-time adults	488.60	516.30	558.90
All females	287.60	306.50	328.70
Full-time adults	382.00	401.90	439.60
All persons	380.60	401.80	430.10
Full-time adults	455.20	479.70	520.20

Source: Average Weekly Earnings, States and Australia (6302.0)

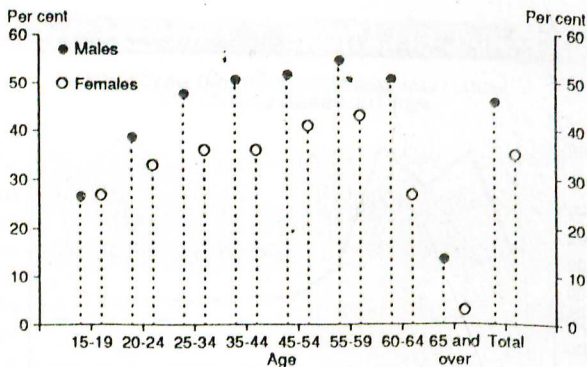
## AVERAGE WEEKLY TOTAL EARNINGS OF FULL-TIME ADULT NON-MANAGERIAL EMPLOYEES, MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUPS, MAY 1988



Source: Distribution and Composition of Employee Earnings and Hours, Australia, May 1988 (6306.0)

# TRADE UNIONS

## PROPORTION OF ALL EMPLOYEES WHO WERE A MEMBER OF A TRADE UNION, AND AGE, AUGUST 1988



Source: Trade Union Members, Australia, August 1988 (6325.0)



# INTERNATIONAL COMPARISONS

## SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS, 1988

	Population, June (million)	Civilian Employment, average for year (million)	Unemploy- ment rate, average for year (per cent)
<b>Australia(a)</b>	<b>16.5</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>7.2</b>
U.S.A.	246.3	115.0	5.4
Japan	(b)122.1	60.1	2.5
Germany (Fed. Rep.)	61.2	25.6	7.9
United Kingdom	57.1	25.4	8.3
Italy	57.4	20.8	11.8
Canada	26.0	12.3	7.8
Sweden	8.4	4.4	1.6

(a) Revised series. (b) June 1987.

Source: UN Monthly Bulletin of Statistics, June 1989; OECD Labour Force Statistics 1/1989.

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